

House Resolution No. 1937

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the opportunity to acknowledge milestone events in the histories of Show-Me State commercial enterprises which bring honor and glory to themselves and to this state through the excellence of their achievements; and

Whereas, D & D Sexton, Incorporated, of Carthage, Missouri, received the Grand Trophy in the "Fleet Safety Contest" sponsored by the Missouri Motor Carriers Association; and

Whereas, D & D Sexton is a common/contract refrigeration carrier which was founded in 1981 as a specialist in the delivery of multi-drop, time-sensitive products and in just-in-time deliveries to food processing companies and major retail and wholesale food distribution centers; and

Whereas, beginning business with one tractor and one trailer twenty-two years ago, D & D Sexton now utilizes 135 tractors, 200 trailers, and 180 full-time employees; enjoys revenues which are expected to exceed \$20 million in 2003; and maintains a payroll of approximately \$5.5 million; and

Whereas, during the Missouri Motor Carriers Association contest's time frame, D & D Sexton logged 4.2 million miles accident-free to earn the Grand Trophy; and

Whereas, D & D Sexton also garnered well-deserved recognition for top honors in the "Over the Road, One to Five Million Miles" category; and

Whereas, D & D Sexton received its accolades during the 56th Annual Missouri Motor Carriers Association Safety Awards Banquet which was held at the Ramada Inn in Jefferson City on Tuesday, March 4, 2003:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the well-deserved selection of D & D Sexton for the Missouri Motor Carriers Association's Grand Trophy in the Fleet Safety Contest and our best wishes for continued success now and in the future; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for D & D Sexton, Incorporated, of Carthage, Missouri.

Offered by _____
Representative Steve Hunter
District No. 127

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 1937, adopted April 16, 2003.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker